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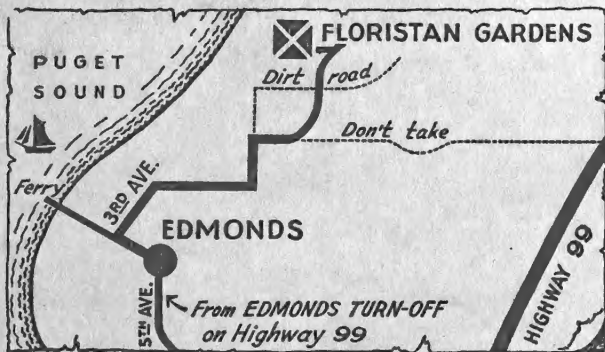


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You Are Invited . . .

YOU are always welcome to visit FLORISTAN GARDENS. The prettiest times of the year, of course, are in the spring and the fall. But a gardener finds much of interest at any season. If you have problems in dividing your clumps, the storage, or the growing, please feel free to come out. We'll do our best to help you. And, whether you are a visitor from afar or one of our own community, you are always welcome to walk through the fields at flower time. There is no obligation to order bulbs or roots. Simply enjoy the beauty of the flowers.

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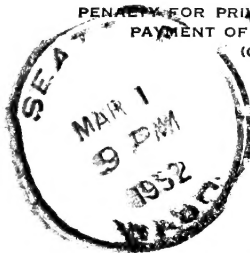
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Floristan Gardens BEAUTIFUL PEDIGREED DAHLIAS

SINCE space in this list is limited, we have not endlessly repeated descriptions of the good qualities that each of our dahlias share. EVERY FLORISTAN GARDENS PEDIGREED DAHLIA here has a long, strong vital stem. Each bloom has good facing habits. Each dahlia is healthy, disease free and disease-resistant. All conform to the finest of dahlia standards. We have more varieties than we catalog. If you have an old favorite not noted here, please ask us for it. We may have it. AND—please note! Many of our PRICES ARE LOWER than last year's. In most, they are no higher. This is because this new land produced a wonderful crop and because, in our new location, we enjoy a more efficient and less costly operation.

KEY—

f.d. formal decorative	c. cactus	s-dup. semi-duplex
i.d. informal decorative	s-c. semi-cactus	ba. ball
o. orchid flowering	dup. duplex	col. collarette
s. single, or charm	B. bloom size	bu. height of plant or bush

LARGER FLOWER VARIETIES

AGNES YOUNG f. d. B. 6" x 4", bu. 5'. Pigeon blood red, edged gold. A striking garden and cut flower.....\$.50
ALICE DAVIS i. d. B. 8" x 4", bu. 4'. Primrose yellow with a faint blush of pink. Foliage fernlike.....\$3.00

BETTY ANN s. c. B. 12" x 5", bu. 4'. Rich fuchsia center, outer petals suffused silver and orange. A magnificent color combination in a beautifully formed, stately flower.....\$1.50
BLUE HORIZON i. d. B. 10" x 4", bu. 6'. These large French violet blooms have a definitely blue cast.....\$1.00
BOBBE DEANE f. d. B. 8" x 6", bu. 7'. As hardy as the La France pink and warm buff blooms are beautiful.....\$2.00
BRIDESMAID f. d. B. 8" x 7", bu. 6'. Silvery pink with a silver sheen and veinings. Petals twist gracefully.....\$1.00
CAVALCADE f. d. B. 8" x 5", bu. 5½'. Exquisite rosy mulberry with a golden sheen on narrow, pointed petals.....\$.50
CHARLOTTE HOWITT f. d. B. 6" x 4", bu. 5'. Deeper than La France pink in the petal reverse with a pinky tan and soft yellow blending on the petal face. Good cut flower.....\$5.00
CLAUDIUS f. d. B. 8" x 4", bu. 4'. A suggestion of orchid shows in the pink of this NEW FLORISTAN GARDENS creation. Bloom opens from bud after cutting. Exceptional stems.....\$5.00
CLEOPATRA i. d. B. 7" x 4", bu. 5'. A rich, deep red with silver suffusions and sheen. The petals round back to form a shaggy, ball-like bloom. A handsome flower.....\$5.00
DAD SMITH f. d. B. 7" x 5", bu. 5'. Imperial yellow tipped and suffused scarlet. An outstanding beauty.....\$1.00
D'ARCY SAINSBURY f. d. B. 9" x 4", bu. 5'. One of the finest of large whites—good garden and wedding dahlia.....\$.75
DORA LOUES MILLER f. d. B. 14" x 8", bu. 4'. This platter-sized bloom is mellowed old gold and orange.....\$.50
EDNA ROSAIA i. d. B. 8" x 4", bu. 4'. In two tones of luscious cobalt rose with silver reverse. Beautiful foliage—dense, light green and cut like tomatoes. Good cutting.....\$3.00

ELEANOR RADDELL i. d. B. 8" x 5", bu. 6'. This large free and open flower is a fresh, rose pink. Attractive.....\$.75
ELLEN WORTHERN s. c. B. 14" x 9", bu. 6'. Another platter-sized beauty in one tone of salmon pink.....\$.50
EVELYN CHANDLER i. d. B. 10" x 3", bu. 5'. Graceful though huge, a beautiful one-toned burnished old gold.....\$.75
FLORISTAN'S EMBLEM i. d. B. 12" x 4", bu. 5'. This handsome, bright golden yellow has long, narrow, irregular petals. Growing habits are outstanding. Good cutting type.....\$3.00
FLORISTAN'S SNOW BRIDE f. d. B. 10" x 5", bu. 5'. An absolutely pure, clear, sparkling white with silver sheen. Fragile looking but will stand up unmarred by heavy rain.....\$3.00
GEORGE ROSAIA f. d. B. 6" x 4", bu. 4½'. Dark, rich, glowing red. Good cut flower. Chosen as his favorite by the late dean of Seattle florists for whom it was named.....\$3.00
HAILE SELASSE c. B. 9" x 5", bu. 5'. Maroon when it is first out, soft Indian red when mature. Incurved narrow florets revolute their full length. Graceful and sturdy.....\$5.00
H. R. STOVAL i. d. B. 10" x 6", bu. 6'. Long, yellow petals swirl out from a high, tight center.....\$.75
IRENE ELSNER f. d. B. 5" x 4½", bu. 8'. Pure, shimmering white base tipped and suffused bright fresh pink.....\$2.00
KENTUCKY COLONEL f. d. B. 7" x 4", bu. 6'. Rosy violet from white base into silvered blue violet at center.....\$.50

LANCELOT ba. B. 4" x 3", bu. 6'. Narrow florets are pink on reverse with tawny autumn shades on face. Takes weather \$1.00
LILLIAN NOSER f. d. B. 14" x 8", bu. 4'. A soft lavender pink with silver veinings and sheen. Very graceful.....\$1.00
MABLE GARRISON c. B. 7" x 4", bu. 6'. This handsome Imperial yellow with gay scarlet suffusions is as wonderful a cut flower as it is a good garden bloom.....\$5.00
MISS BOEING f. d. B. 7" x 5", bu. 6'. A soft, true pink with a suggestion of peach. Petals are gracefully free.....\$3.00
MISS ELSIE JANE i. d. B. 8" x 6", bu. 4'. The twisted, curled petals are rosy pink with apricot at the base.....\$1.00
MISS PUGET f. d. B. 9" x 4", bu. 4'. Broad, flat petals of buff with a soft pink flush. Good border variety.....\$.50
MRS. F. F. POWELL f. d. B. 8" x 7", bu. 6'. One constant tone of Spanish scarlet and madder. Does not sunfade.....\$1.00
MRS. HAL L. SMITH i. d. B. 10" x 6", bu. 6'. An indescribable, elusive iridescent mother-of-pearl blending.....\$2.00
NAGEL'S ORANGE c. B. 5" x 4", bu. 6'. Almost round blooms in one tone of soft orange. Excellent cut flower.....\$1.00
NEVA AIREY HARRIS f. d. B. 10" x 4", bu. 5'. Several rich yellow tones blend to make this a gorgeous dahlia.....\$2.00
OGDEN REED f. d. B. 10" x 4", bu. 4'. This old-time, extra large rose pink is an excellent garden variety.....\$.75

PANTATA f. d. B. 12" x 6", bu. 4'. The reverse of these twisty petals is tango; the top, brilliant, molten copper.....\$.75
PEGGY CHILDS f. d. B. 10" x 4", bu. 6'. There's no pink at all in this deep, sea-lavender violet. A rich hue.....\$3.00
PINK NYLON c. B. 6" x 3", bu. 4'. Well named. Like dusty pink chiffon. Exquisite petal formation. Good cut flower.....\$2.00
PINWHEEL c. B. 8" x 5", bu. 4½'. You get a feeling of swirling action in the way the slender petals seem sprayed out in rich yellows, from center gold to flame-orange.....\$1.00
ROYAL PENNANT i. d. B. 10" x 6", bu. 5'. One lovely tone of rich, lush, royal purple which does not sunfade.....\$.75
RUTH WHITE FRATT f. d. B. 7" x 4", bu. 5'. A tawny buff with a soft pink sheen on the pointed petals.....\$1.50
SALBACH'S WHITE f. d. B. 6" x 3", bu. 6'. The florist's waxy white, very formal stand-by for weddings.....\$.50
SONJA HEINE ba. B. 4" x 4", bu. 5'. An informal ball with curling, tawny petals that takes bad weather.....\$2.00
THE RED KNIGHT i. d. B. 12" x 10", bu. 5'. This huge, currant red is magnificently sturdy. Striking in the garden or as a gorgeously proportioned cut flower. A heavy producer.....\$3.00
TOWER'S EMPIRE i. d. B. 8" x 6", bu. 7'. Apricot flushes the Imperial yellow of this old favorite. Lacy foliage.....\$.75
ULFIUS ba. B. 5" x 5", bu. 5'. Rosy buff suffusion with rose predominating. Long petals are slightly quilled.....\$1.50
WASHINGTON COLONEL i. d. B. 7" x 4", bu. 6'. The violet of Kentucky Colonel but more informal in formation.....\$1.00
YELLOW SATAN c. B. 12" x 4", bu. 5'. Light lemon with darker self tones in the veins make this cactus a beauty.....\$.75

POMPONS each 50c

ATOM, orange red	HELEN ANITA, lavender, white eye
BABY, white flushed lavender	HONEY, honey-white
BABY BETH, pure white	JOE FETTI, white
BANTAM, bright red	LITTLE DAVID, orange
CHICKIE, rosy wine	LITTLE EDITH, yellow, edged red
CONSTANCE PATERSON, white	MARY MUNNS, fuchsia
CORAL GLOW, coral	PATRICIA K., white, flushed pink
DORIA, maroon	ROSE GRAY, light lavender
DORIS B., dark orange	SHAWNEE PAPOOSE, brown red
EDITH MUELLER, yellow tipped red	TAAKA'S YELLOW, lemon yellow
GLOW, old rose and coral	YELLOW GEM, deep golden yellow
GOLDIE B., old gold	
HAZEL DELL, pink, cerise-edge	

At \$1.00 Each, Very Small—1-inch

MRS. FRENCH, pink

MRS. J. J. TELFER, pure white

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THE COWAN SINGLES—

Our New Type Dahlia

These single, daisy-like flowers are exceptionally small, ranging from $\frac{3}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ " in diameter. Sturdy stems 6" long or more. Growing from 1 to 2 feet high, these are ideal for borders. They bloom continuously from early summer to frost.

Each \$1.00

Self Colors

Two-Toned

IMP—dark red	FIRST CRY—lilac-yellow
MEJICANA NINA—orange	FIRST SMILE—pink-yellow
PEPPER—soft red	PERT—yellow into rose
SAUCY—maize yellow	WINSOME—red into yellow
NONA—NEW—true soft pink	

WE HAVE ATTRACTIVE

GIFT CERTIFICATES AND GIFT BOXES

Why not use them for Easter, Mother's Day, Dad's Day, Birthday, Christmas and other gift occasions?

OUR NEXT LIST will come out this fall and—SURPRISE!—carry an ESPECIALLY CHOICE group of WASHINGTON GROWN Dutch Bulbs, as well as the 1952 Dahlia list. We know you will want to have it.

MINIATURES

These are any type under 4 inches in diameter excluding pompons, and are ideal in proportion for flower arrangements scaled to the average home. The following dahlias are recommended as good keeping cut flowers. They will hold up.

BESSIE BLAKE s-dup. FRAGRANT. Like white dogwood with silver sheen. Lemon halo around gold disc.....	\$3.00
BARBARA DOANE c. Deep pink. Very pretty little flower	.75
BETTY BERNEY f. d. Clear deep red that is sunfast.....	.50
BLACK DAVE s-dup. Rich garnet. Almost black foliage....	.75
BOB HARRIS s. Bright claret, striped with white.....	.75
BO-PEEP f. d. 2" ball, the royal purple of violets.....	.50
BPOE f. d. Larger, same color, good to use with Bo-Peep	.50
CAT'S WHISKER col. Dark maroon, long white petaloids	2.00
COLOR BLENDER f. d. Creamy pink, gold-brown blend....	.75
CORONNE f. d. Like a beautiful pure white gardenia.....	.75
CORTY R. f. d. Gorgeous two-toned red and gold blend....	.75
DOREEN CRANE c. Tiny orange buff with golden sheen....	.75
DOT o. Silvery white with rose fuchsia suffusion.....	.75
DREANA DARLENE o. Old gold, tomato red reverse.....	.75
ELIZABETH PAPE s-c. Low growing, apricot-pink.....	.75
EVELYN s. White, tipped and suffused lavender.....	.75
FAIRY f. d. Brilliant pink with honey toned base.....	.50
FONDA f. d. Fascinating deep orchid-rose blend.....	.50
GLEE s. Gold, suffused and striped with brownish red....	.50

PLEASE NOTE

We GUARANTEE our roots are healthy, as named, and have vital eye. We do NOT SUBSTITUTE unless requested. Please do NOT send stamps. Send postal m. o. or check. We do not ship C.O.D. Please add 25¢ packing charge for orders under \$3.00. Will WASHINGTON STATE customers PLEASE remember to include 3% State Tax. This is not necessary for Out-of-State customers. Cultural Directions are included with your order.

FLORISTAN GARDENS

since 1914

BEGINNER'S COLLECTION

If you are more interested in colorful blooms and plenty of them rather than in growing named varieties, we recommend these collections. You can depend on the dahlias included. They are our very good varieties but are from extra and odd lots and we save time by not naming them for you. No two alike.

COLLECTION NO. 1

Large Varieties—Good Garden Types

8 roots \$3.00	12 roots \$4.50
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COLLECTION NO. 2

Charming Small Varieties—Delightful in Arrangements and Gardens Too

8 roots \$3.00	12 roots \$4.50
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GOLDEN YOUTH f. d. Old gold—a neat, compact flower....	.75
GRACE O'NEAL c. Bright fresh pink with white edges.....	.75
JEANNE'S BABY dup. FRAGRANT. Resembles a delicate pastel water lily. Partially folds at night.....	2.00
JUNE ST. CLAIR f. d. An unusual coral buff shade.....	.75
LeANN H. f. d. Tiny, delicate pink. Exceptionally sturdy..	1.00
LITTLE JENNIE s-c. Very compact salmon pink.....	.75
NINE O'CLOCK f. d. Bright red; often with yellow hair-line at position of nine o'clock on timepiece.....	.75
NORTH STAR o. White with mulberry stripe on edge.....	.75
PAT DELSMAN o. Silver face shows only in halo. The reverse of staghorn petals is a rosy, bright purple.....	2.00
PATRICIA MALONEY f. d. Tiny apricot; blooms heavily..	.50
PEGGY WOOD f. d. Wee ball-like, tawny buff blooms.....	.50
PERSIMMON f. d. As yellow red and rich as the fruit.....	.50
RENEE' s-c. Straw yellow into pinkish delicate buff.....	.50
ROZON f. d. A dainty, lovely, delicate true pink.....	.50
SALLY T. f. d. Pure gold with high, free center.....	1.00
SKIPPER col. Silvery white, splashed rose pink and lavender, with double row white petaloids as long as florets....	1.00
STARLET, JR. s. c. Free, 2" blooms in light sulphur.....	.75
TOOTS f. d. A pert little, very formal soft lavender.....	.75
VIVIAN o. One shade throughout of dark, poinsetta red....	1.00
WHITE FAWN f. d. Very compact and formal $2\frac{1}{2}$ " white..	.50
WINE DROP f. d. 2" wine red blooms with purple cast....	.50

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